

**THE CODE OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 175 of 1927**

**770.1 Granting new trial to defendant.**

Sec. 1.

The judge of a court in which the trial of an offense is held may grant a new trial to the defendant, for any cause for which by law a new trial may be granted, or when it appears to the court that justice has not been done, and on the terms or conditions as the court directs.

**History:** 1927, Act 175, Eff. Sept. 5, 1927 ;-- CL 1929, 17355 ;-- CL 1948, 770.1 ;-- Am. 1980, Act 506, Imd. Eff. Jan. 22, 1981

**Former Law:** See section 1 of Ch. 166 of R.S. 1846, being CL 1857, Å§ 6082; CL 1871, Å§ 7963; How., Å§ 9576; CL 1897, Å§ 11963; and CL 1915, Å§ 15836.